# The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP)

### What is it?

The Emergency Food Assistance Program is the combined effort of the State of Maryland Department of Human Resources and Frederick County Government. Both entities have a common interest and goal of making emergency food resources available to families in Frederick County.

#### How does it work?

Frederick County is responsible for arranging the distribution of food provided by the State of Maryland Department of Human Resources to area food banks three times per year. The food is delivered by volunteers from the Frederick County Farm Bureau in January, May, and September of each year.

#### Who participates?

Eight (8) food banks currently operate within Frederick County to distribute food to families in emergency situations.

Food assistance is available to any Frederick County resident who is in need.

Food bank information and locations are also listed on Frederick County's website at www.FrederickCountyMD.Gov/TEFAP

## Street Map



In accordance with federal law and U.S.

Department of Agriculture policy, food banks are prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, political beliefs, or disability.

Thurmont Food Bank



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**Food Bank Location** 

THURMONT FOOD BANK
A Project of the Thurmont
Ministerium
St. John's Lutheran Church
15 North Church Street
Thurmont, Maryland



# **Contact Information**

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**Hours Of Operation** 

Tuesday
6:00-7:30 PM
Friday
3:30-5:00 PM

Donations may be dropped of one half hour prior to opening

Be sure to visit the food bank that is located nearest your residence. No referral is needed in order to visit a food bank.



